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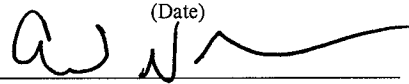
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION****Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on Sept. 19, 2007 and is accompanied by a request for a one month extension of time. Please amend the above-captioned application as follows and consider the subsequent remarks.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.